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- (a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (2) "Lender" means a person holding an interest in or lien on property pursuant to a mortgage or deed of trust.
- (3) "Subordination agreement" means an agreement establishing priorities:
 - (i) Between or among lenders; or
- (ii) Between or among a lender and any other person or persons holding an interest in property.
- (b) A lender may subordinate its interest under a mortgage or deed of trust to the interest of another lender or to the property interest of a person, through execution of a subordination agreement on behalf of the subordinating lender by:
- (1) As to a lender secured by a mortgage, the mortgagee or assignee; or
- (2) As to a lender secured by a deed of trust, the trustee or successor trustee or the holder of the note or other obligation secured by the deed of trust.
- (c) This section applies to all subordination agreements existing on or after October 1, 1997.

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